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## **Bill Analysis**

SJR 31 refers to the people a constitutional amendment striking language stating that that Oklahoma is an inseparable part of the Union and replacing it with language asserting that it is a free and independent sovereign state and by choice a Federal Union known as the United States of America. The measure also states that the maintenance of free institutions and the perpetuity of the Federal Union depend upon the preservation of the right of local self-government, unimpaired to all the states. The measure also clarifies that the preservation of a republican form of government and the inalienable right of the people to abolish, alter or reform their government when required by the public good.

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